

California Regional Water Quality Control Board
North Coast Region

Notice of Proposed Settlement With
Loleta Community Services District

Proposed Settlement Agreement and Stipulation for Entry of
Administrative Civil Liability Order No. R1-2020-0008

Written Comments Are Due No Later Than
5:00 p.m., on March 4, 2020

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, North Coast Region (Regional Water Board) Executive Officer will consider approval of a proposed Settlement Agreement and Stipulation for Entry of Administrative Civil Liability Order, No. R1-2020-0008 (proposed Order) that proposes a settlement with Loleta Community Services District (Discharger) to resolve violations subject to mandatory minimum penalties (MMPs) alleged in Administrative Civil Liability Order No. R1-2018-0026, that occurred over the period from June 1, 2014 through February 28, 2018. The Order proposes that the Regional Water Board assess mandatory minimum penalties in the amount of \$330,000 for violations of effluent limits. The Discharger agrees to pay \$7,000 of this penalty within 30 days of execution of this settlement order, and further proposes that up to \$323,000 will apply towards a Compliance Project that will involve replacement or rehabilitation of high priority segments of the wastewater collection system at five locations in the town of Loleta. The proposed Order and related documents are available at:

https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/northcoast/public_notices/notice_of_proposed_settlement/

Persons may comment on the proposed Order by submitting written comments **no later than 5:00 p.m. on March 4, 2020**. Written comments should include "Settlement Agreement and Stipulation for Entry of Order and Administrative Civil Liability Order No. R1-2020-0008" in the subject line, and should be directed to the attention of Diana Henriouille, and can be submitted by email at NorthCoast@waterboards.ca.gov or, by mail, to 5550 Skylane Boulevard, Suite A, Santa Rosa, CA 95403.

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